



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Robert G. Schultz  
Application Serial No. : 09/677,569  
Filing Date : October 2, 2000  
For : Computer Motherboard  
Architecture with Integrated  
DSP for Continuous and  
Command and Control Speech  
Processing  
Examiner/Art Unit : Qi Han/2654

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

This is a request under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the subject application by one (1) months. Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27. The required fee of \$55.00 is enclosed with this filing.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-0080.

Respectfully submitted,

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